SITUATION REPORT NO. 15 INCIDENT NO. 95-04

DATE: June 2, 1995 TIME: 11:00 a.m.

TO: Governor Edward T. Schafer State Capitol Bismarck, ND 58504

- 1. <u>NATURE OF DISASTER</u>: 1995 Spring Flood.
- 2. DEATH AND INJURIES: No change from previous report.
- 3. <u>DAMAGE</u>: The level of Devils Lake on June 2, 1995 is 1435.22 feet msl.

 North Dakota Department of Agriculture officials estimate 1.2 million acres of cropland will not be planted in 1995.
- 4. RESOURCES COMMITTED: No change from previous report.

LOCAL: No change from previous report.

STATE: No change from previous report.

<u>FEDERAL</u>: United States Public Health Service is assigning an additional health officer to Fort Totten on a temporary basis.

- 5. VOLUNTEER ACTIONS: No change from previous report.
- 6. <u>MAJOR ACTIONS:</u> President Clinton has approved Governor Schafer's request to add nineteen counties to the original Major Disaster Declaration. Those additional nineteen counties include: Barnes, Burleigh, Dickey, Eddy, Foster, Kidder, LaMoure, Logan, McHenry, McIntosh, McLean, Pembina, Pierce, Ransom, Sheridan, Sioux, Stutsman, Traill, and Wells.

James Lee Witt, National Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, and Mike Armstrong, Director of FEMA Region VIII, are touring the area affected by the rising waters of Devils Lake. Mr. Armstrong will chair and participate in the Devils Lake Basin Interagency Task Force meeting on June 2, 1995.

Governor Ed Schafer and members of his Emergency Management Committee met with Devils Lake Basin Officials to discuss flooding problems.

The North Dakota Division of Emergency Management and the Federal Emergency Management Agency officials are conducting applicant briefings for county and city governments and certain private non-profit organizations that provide educational and essential governmental type services to the general public. The applicant briefings will follow the schedule below:

June 5, 1995	Rugby, ND	Bobs Pizza Inn
June 6, 1995	Devils Lake, ND	Courthouse Meeting Room
June 7, 1995	Jamestown, ND	Law Enforcement Center Meeting Room
June 8, 1995	Bismarck, ND	Heritage Center Auditorium

All briefings will begin 1:30 p.m.

Federal Emergency Management Agency officials have established a Disaster Field Office in Jamestown and a Satellite Disaster Field Office in Devils Lake. The telephone number for the Disaster Field Office is (701) 251-9129, and the fax number, (701) 251-9461. The telephone number for the Satellite Disaster Field Office is (701) 662-1775, and the fax number, (701) 662-1780. The State Flood Coordination Center has been relocated from Camp Grafton to the Satellite Disaster Field Office.

Two Federal Emergency Management Agency Individual Assistance Preliminary Damage Assessment Teams are in the state to verify individual damage and determine impact on individuals in the affected area.

The Division of Microbiology of the North Dakota Department of Health and Consolidated Laboratories has received \$140,000 from the Federal Emergency Management Agency to coordinate a mosquito control program. To obtain permission for aerial spraying or to receive larvicide and spreaders, city officials must contact the Division of Microbiology at (701) 328-5262.

North Dakota Game and Fish Department has the Black Tiger Bay boat ramp completed. Work is ongoing at the East Bay boat ramp.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers have issued contracts for work to protect seven lift stations on the Devils Lake rural sewage system. Two additional lift stations are being assessed.

- 7. ASSISTANCE NEEDED: No change from previous report.
- 8. OUTSIDE HELP ON SCENE: No change from previous report.
- 9. <u>OTHER INFORMATION:</u> The next State Flood Coordination Center Meeting will be held June 15, 1995 at 1:30 p.m. at the Satellite Disaster Field Office in Devils Lake.

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